# State of wisconsin Senate Journal

## Ninety-Fourth Regular Session

#### WEDNESDAY, July 26, 2000

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

#### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

**State of Wisconsin** 

July 24, 2000

The Honorable, The Senate:

In order to fill the vacancy created by Senator Rude's resignation, I would recommend the appointment of Senator Carol Roessler to the committee on Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

MARY E. PANZER Senate Republican Leader

#### State of Wisconsin

July 26, 2000

The Honorable, The Senate:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 20, I have appointed Senator Carol Roessler to the committee on Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs.

Sincerely,

CHUCK CHVALA

Chair, Committee on Senate Organization

### State of Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services

May 2000

The Honorable, The Senate:

The Bureau of Health Information is pleased to submit to the Governor and to the Legislature the annual *Guide to Wisconsin Hospitals Fiscal Year 1998*. The data for this report were collected under Chapter 153, Wisconsin Statutes, and published as authorized by the Board on Health Care Information. The report provides summary and detailed information about fiscal, utilization, and staffing data at Wisconsin hospitals, and sets forth comparisons among hospitals of increases or decreases in gross revenues, net revenue, and revenues and expenditures.

Sincerely,

BARBARA A. RUDOLPH, PH.D.,

Director

Bureau of Health Information

#### State of Wisconsin Department of Administration

June 9, 2000

The Honorable, The Senate:

Attached is a copy of a consultant's report regarding reengineering of the State of Wisconsin's budget system. This study was conducted by the consulting firm of Arthur Andersen LLP, under the joint direction of the Department of Administration and the Legislative Fiscal Bureau.

We would like to thank Arthur Andersen for their work in conducting the study and preparing the report. If you have questions about the report, please contact us.

Sincerely,

ROBERT WM. LANG
Director
Legislative Fiscal Bureau

RICHARD G. CHANDLER
State Budget Director
Department of Administration

State of Wisconsin Ethics Board

July 25, 2000

The Honorable, The Senate:

The following lobbyists have been authorized to act on behalf of the organizations set opposite their names.

For more detailed information about these lobbyists and organizations and a complete list of organizations and people authorized to lobby the 1999 session of the legislature, visit the Ethics Board's web site at <a href="http://ethics.state.wi.us">http://ethics.state.wi.us</a>

Blavat, Kate Ameritech (Wis Bell Inc.)

Hendricks, Brian Ameritech (Wis Bell Inc.)

Maurer, James Ameritech (Wis Bell Inc.)

Also available from the Wisconsin Ethics Board are reports identifying the amount and value of time state agencies have spent to affect legislative action and reports of expenditures for lobbying activities filed by the organizations that employ lobbyists.

Sincerely,

**ROTH JUDD** 

Director

#### REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99–166

Relating to the automated dispensing of prescription drugs. Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

Report received from Agency, July 24, 2000.

Referred to committee on **Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs,** July 26, 2000.

#### Senate Clearinghouse Rule 00-051

Relating to renewal after five years.

Submitted by Department of Regulation and Licensing.

Report received from Agency, July 25, 2000.

Referred to committee on **Health, Utilities, Veterans and Military Affairs,** July 26, 2000.

#### Senate Clearinghouse Rule 00–078

Relating to the implementation and maintenance of the retailer performance program of the Wisconsin lottery.

Submitted by Department of Revenue.

Report received from Agency, July 24, 2000.

Referred to committee on **Economic Development**, **Housing and Government Operations**, July 26, 2000.

## MOTIONS UNDER SENATE RULE 98 AND JOINT RULE 7

for the Month of June 2000

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Andrew Aleckson, on the occasion of receiving the Best of State Medal from the National History Day Competition.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Paul Aleckson D.C. Everest Social Studies Coordinator, on the occasion of his commitment to teaching and his National Teaching Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Roger A. Baehr, on the occasion of his retirement after 21 years of service as principal of St. Jude the Apostle School in Wauwatosa.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Burke, for Dr. John J. Bartkowski, on the occasion of his commitment to improving public health and his years of service at the Sixteenth Street Community Health Center.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Melissa Beck, on the occasion of receiving the Best of State Medal from the National History Day Competition.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Erpenbach, for Herb Becker, on the occasion of his 19 years of dedicated service as a Waunakee Crossing Guard.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Orin Benson, on the occasion of being inducted into the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel Sports Show Hall of Fame.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Chvala, for Bev's on Main, on the occasion of the new location of the Diner to Marshall.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Risser, for Dan Boyer, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Genevieve Buhrandt, on the occasion of her retirement after 45 years of dedicated service with the Oconto Falls School District.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Clinton "Clint" James Dederich, on the occasion of graduating with the Class of 2000 from Sauk Prairie High School.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Lazich, for Philip DeSalvo, on the occasion of being honored by the Prospect Lions Club with the presentation of a Melvin Jones Fellowship.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Moore, for Pastor Joseph R. DeShazer, on the occasion of serving the members of the The New Greater Holy Temple Institutional Church of God In Christ.

A certificate of condolence by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator George, for the family and friends of Pastor Joseph R. DeShazer, on the occasion of celebrating his life with them.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Douglas and Gloria Dorow, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Darling, for Matthew J. Durant, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for George Folz, on the occasion of his 70th Birthday and his lifetime of community service.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for George and Tina Gamouras, on the occasion of 40 years of dedication to the restaurant business, 20 of those years as owners of the Village Coffee Shop.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for James M. Gehrke, on the occasion of his retirement after 36 years of dedication to improving the educational well being of thousands of students throughout Wisconsin.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Jacqueline Gierczak, on the occasion of receiving the Best of State Medal from the National History Day Competition.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Wirch, for Walter Haag, on the occasion of his selfless devotion and service to our veterans and their families both locally and in the national Landing Craft Support Organization.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Brian Robert Haas, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Jenna Hazaert, on the occasion of receiving the Best of State Medal from the National History Day Competition.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Cowles, for Robert Heidel, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Darling, for Edgar Henning, on the occasion of being named Citizen of the Year by the Village of Brown Deer.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Farrow, for Ruth Jensen, on the occasion of years of service to the Women's Council.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator George, for the founding members of the Jewish Foundation for Economic Opportunity – Eric Butlein, Richard Florsheim, James Fromstein, Marty Mann, Stephen Sadek, Gerald Stein and Martin Stein, on the occasion of being receiving the 2000 Community Service Human Relations Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Jauch, for the Knights of Columbus Council 499, on the occasion of achieving a century of compassionate commitment to service of the church and their community.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Milton and Gloria Kolpack, on the occasion of celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rosenzweig, for Ann Larson, on the occasion of celebrating her 70th Birthday and the 40th year of dedicated volunteer service to the Washington Highlands community in Wauwatosa and the dedication of Ann Larson Circle in the Washington Highlands neighborhood.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Jauch, for Bill Lee, on the occasion of being recognized for his exemplifying the essence of community spirit and for serving as a model of civic responsibility by the City of Mellen.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Drzewiecki, for Chief James Lewis, on the occasion of being named Wisconsin Law Enforcement Executive of the Year for 1999.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Rude, for Kenneth Machtan, on the occasion of his 14 years of outstanding public service to the Wisconsin Senate.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Roessler, for Susan Marcott, on the occasion of her 9 years of loyal and dedicated service to the State of Wisconsin.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Risser, for Barbara Matthews, on the occasion of her retirement from the State of Wisconsin after 23 remarkable years.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Legislature on the motion of Senator Farrow, for Detective David B. McElhatton, on the occasion of his retirement after 28 years of service to the village of Elm Grove.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for the Menominee Nation, on the occasion of holding the Elders Summit June 8th and 9th, 2000 and their commitment to the Menominee people.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Matt Michalik, on the occasion of receiving the Best of State Medal from the National History Day Competition.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Travis Mortag, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for Emily Oradei, on the occasion of her outstanding essay as part of this year's Forest Appreciation Week.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Decker, for Kyle Prochaska, on the occasion of receiving the Best of State Medal from the National History Day Competition.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Clausing, for Nick Clayton Spanel, on the occasion of earning and attaining the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Moore, for Margaret Virginia Todd, on the occasion of her 33 year commitment to her students as an educator.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Schultz, for Jacob Tulachka, on the occasion of earning and attaing the rank of the Eagle Scout Award.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Breske, for the Town of Lac du Flambeau, on the occasion of celebrating its centennial anniversary of incorporation.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Moore, for "Big Mama" Myrtle Lee Rogers Carter Wilder, on the occasion of celebrating her 90th Birthday with family and friends.

A certificate of congratulations by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Grobschmidt, for the U.S.S. Patterson DD 392, on the occasion of celebrating its 22nd reunion in Milwaukee.

A certificate of commendation by the Wisconsin Senate on the motion of Senator Huelsman, for Krista Zieche, on the occasion of being named Hartland Chamber of Commerce 1999–2000Student/Volunteer of the Year.